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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- This application does not contain a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). Applicant must provide such statement. If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000).
- A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" and a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

 Additional claim fees of \$290 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1190 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$290
 - \$290 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

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- 1) Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application
- 2) Petition for Extension of Time
- Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated April 27, 2004
- 4) Declaration (8 pages total)
- 5) Credit Card Payment Form (2 total)
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Sir:

The Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Filed Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) - Filing Date Granted dated April 27, 2004 (a copy of which is enclosed) has a shortened statutory time set to expire on June 27, 2004. The Notice states missing items were (1) the statutory basic filing fee of \$770, (2) multiple dependent claims fee of \$290; (3) an Oath or Declaration with late fee of \$130 for a total of \$1190 in fees; (4) a sequence listing in paper and computer readable form and (5) a Statement under CFR § 1.821 et seq.

In response, Applicants submit herewith: 1) the late fees of \$1190 paid by credit card; and 2) a copy of a fully executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The Sequence listing for this continuation application is the same as that submitted for the parent application no. 09/970,616. Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.821(e) request the sequence listing for this application to be identical to that from the parent application 09/970,616. No new Statement regarding the sequence listing is required.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR §1.17 which may be required, to Account No. 50-1744 in the name of Syngenta Biotechnology, Inc.

Respectfully submitted,

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